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REFERENCE MESSAGE # 0267307, 0271301
(s):

CASE #(s): A-570-893

EFFECTIVE DATE: 01/04/2016 COURT CASE #:

PERIOD OF REVIEW: 02/01/2008 TO 01/31/2009

PERIOD COVERED: TO

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: Liquidation instructions for certain frozen warmwater shrimp from the People's Republic of China exported by Hilltop International for the period 02/01/2008 through 01/31/2009 (A-570-893)

Notice of the lifting of suspension occurred on the message date of these instructions. See paragraph 3 below.

1. On 10/05/2015, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit issued a final decision in the case of Ad Hoc Shrimp Trade Action Committee v. United States (Fed Cir. 14-1514) (CIT 10-00275). As a result of this decision, the injunction to which messages 0267307 and 0271301 refer enjoining liquidation of entries which are subject to the antidumping duty order on certain frozen warmwater shrimp from the People's Republic of China for the period 02/01/2008 through 01/31/2009 exported by Hilltop International dissolved on 01/04/2016.

2. Commerce has determined that Hilltop International is no longer eligible for a separate rate and should be considered part of the PRC-wide entity. Therefore, for all shipments of certain frozen warmwater shrimp from the People's Republic of China exported by Hilltop International (A-570-893-058), and entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption during the period 02/01/2008 through 01/31/2009, assess an antidumping liability equal to 112.81 percent of the entered value.

3. These instructions constitute notice of the lifting of suspension of liquidation of entries of subject merchandise covered by paragraph 2. Accordingly, notice of the lifting of suspension occurred on the message date of these instructions. Unless instructed otherwise, for all other shipments of certain frozen warmwater shrimp from the People's Republic of China you shall continue to collect cash deposits of estimated antidumping duties for the merchandise at the current rates.

4. There are no injunctions applicable to the entries covered by this instruction.

5. The assessment of antidumping duties by CBP on shipments or entries of this merchandise is subject to the provisions of section 778 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended. Section 778

requires that CBP pay interest on overpayments or assess interest on underpayments of the required amounts deposited as estimated antidumping duties. The interest provisions are not applicable to cash or bonds posted as estimated antidumping duties before the date of publication of the antidumping duty order. Interest shall be calculated from the date payment of estimated antidumping duties is required through the date of liquidation. The rate at which such interest is payable is the rate in effect under section 6621 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 for such period.

6. Upon assessment of antidumping duties, CBP shall require that the importer provide a reimbursement statement, as described in section 351.402(f)(2) of Commerce's regulations. The importer should provide the reimbursement statement prior to liquidation of the entry. If the importer certifies that it has an agreement with the producer, seller, or exporter, to be reimbursed antidumping duties, CBP shall double the antidumping duties in accordance with the above-referenced regulation. Additionally, if the importer does not provide the reimbursement statement prior to liquidation, reimbursement shall be presumed and CBP shall double the antidumping duties due. If an importer timely files a protest challenging the presumption of reimbursement and doubling of duties, consistent with CBP's protest process, CBP may accept the reimbursement statement filed with the protest to rebut the presumption of reimbursement.

7. If there are any questions by the importing public regarding this message, please contact the Call Center for the Office of AD/CVD Operations, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce at (202) 482-0984. CBP ports should submit their inquiries through authorized CBP channels only. (This message was generated by OV:KJA.)

8. There are no restrictions on the release of this information.

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party